

Our Lady Queen Of the Americas Church

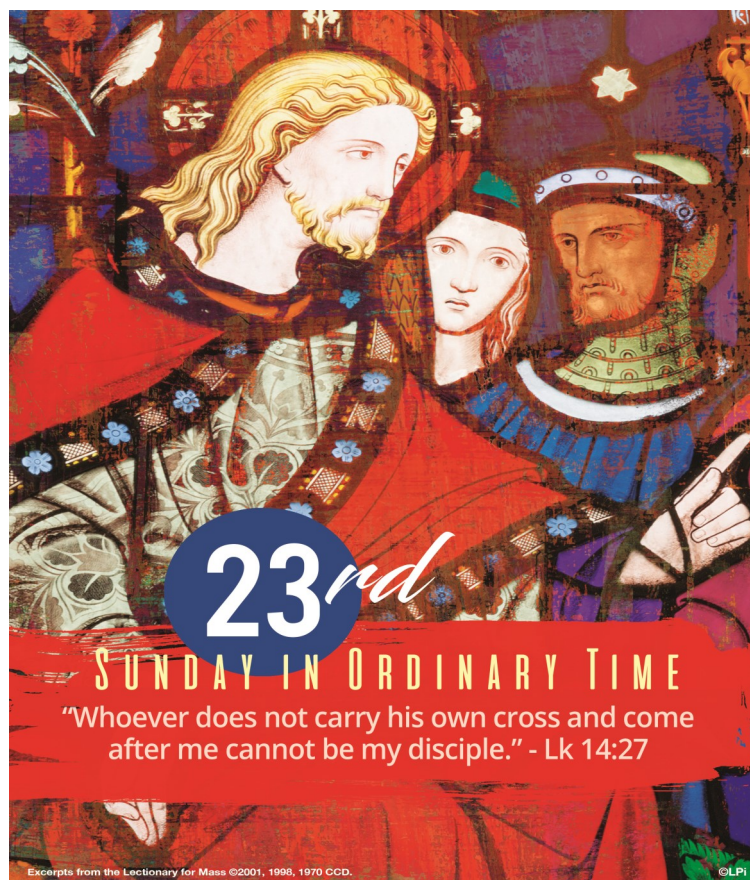
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September 8, 2019



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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Evening: 5:00 PM
Sunday Morning: 8:00 AM & 10:30 AM
Holy Days and Holidays: 8:00 AM; Vigil: 6:30 PM

WEEKDAY Schedule: Monday—Friday

6:30 am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
6:45 am Vigils
7:15 am Lauds (Morning Prayer)
7:35 am Holy Rosary
7:50 am Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament
8:00 am Holy Mass
8:30 am Confession

SAT, SEPT 7

5:00 PM

SUN, SEPT 8

8:00 AM

10:30 AM

MON, SEPT 9

8:00 AM

TUE, SEPT 10

8:00 AM

WED, SEPT 11

8:00 AM

THU, SEPT 12

8:00 AM

FRI, SEPT 13

8:00 AM

SAT, SEPT 14

5:00 PM

SUN, SEPT 15

8:00 AM

10:30 AM

WEEKDAY

Frances Pelchen † (Fred Pelchen)

TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Robert J. Lewis † (Harold & Brenda Lewis)

Dory Perfett † (Jim Joyce & Family)

SAINT PETER CLAVER

Parishioners

WEEKDAY

Robert J. Prenatt † (Mark & Debbie Weindorf)

WEEKDAY

Elnora Chrysam †

THE MOST HOLY NAME OF MARY

Robert J. Lewis † (Harold & Brenda Lewis)

SAINT HOHN CHRYSOSTOM

Justin Turnbull † (Jim & Carolyn Turnbull)

THE EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS

Cecelia Artman † (John & Sue Treacy)

TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Leola Pastor † (Bob Pastor)

Robert L. Adams † (Don & Bobbie Schrall)

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Prayer Request

JoAnn Elwell and Beth Grocé

814-382-8765

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Thursday 9AM—3PM

CLOSED FRIDAY

BULLETIN DEADLINE

BY 3:00 PM, Monday

RECONCILIATION

Saturday 3:30—4:30 PM, or by request



Please phone the Church Office if you have family members in the hospital, or who are seriously ill, or elderly, and are confined to their homes. It is important that all of our sick be anointed by a priest, on a regular basis. I am always available to anoint our sick

SACRAMENTS OF MARRIAGE & BAPTISM

Call Parish Office for information.

PARISH MEMBERSHIP

Call the Parish office (form on back of bulletin)

ADULT CHRISTIAN FORMATION

Individuals interested in learning about the Catholic Church and/or becoming Catholic, please contact the Parish office. Inquiries welcomed at any time.

SISTER PARISH

St. Anthony of Padua, Tekit, Yucatan, Mexico

St. Isidore, Ochil

Our Lady of the Assumption, Mama



Please remember those who are sick and suffering, especially those who are in the hospital. We pray that they may be restored to health through the grace of God. We also pray for our elderly parishioners who are homebound and in nursing care facilities. May our prayers give them courage and strength.

Call 814-382-8765 with your prayer requests.

OFFERTORY

Let us know if you are interested in on-line giving

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The Week Ahead September 8 thru 14, 2019

SUN, Sept 8	9—10:20 AM Religious Education—ALL classes 6PM Rosary with the Knights; MTP
MON, Sept 9	2—7 PM Blood Drive, St. Philip Hall sponsored by the Knights of Columbus
TUES, Sept 10	12:30 PM 55+ Luncheon 6:30 PM Parish Council 6:30 PM Franciscan Crown Rosary

Next weekend is the 2019 **Catholic Education Collection**. Please give generously. Without you, our faith formation and religious education programs would not be as successful as they are. Because of you, our many children and their families, both young and old, are led to greater faith.



We all remember where we were on 9/11. We saw the tower fall and we saw the selfless first responders run toward the falling towers and debris without concern for their well-being, but for that of the fallen men and women. This is the model of patriotism, and why we now celebrate Patriot Day. Let us pray...

O God of selfless love, we are a blest people to have a god like you. You instill your love for us into the hearts of your human creatures. Even if those human creatures do not acknowledge you, your love for us still shines through. We ask your blessing upon all first responders today and ask you to protect them and their families. Help us love people of all nations, races, and creeds, which will bring about the end to wars and terrorism. We ask all this in your peace. Amen.



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We have a NEW feature called . . . **ASK COUNCIL**

You can "ask" your Parish Council questions by emailing olqaooffice@zoominternet.net. Answers will be posted in subsequent bulletins.



Why does Father David sometimes sit while Extraordinary Ministers distribute Communion to the Faithful.

Answer:

The priest stands through most of the Mass, and because of certain health issues, Father Carter finds it sometimes difficult to continue standing throughout the three, weekend Masses.

For this reason, he sometimes sits while an Extraordinary Minister distributes Communion, in his stead; *better to sit down than have the Blessed Sacrament spilled all over the floor.*

Exaltation OF THE Cross

The cross was once the most horrible way to die, fit only for the lowest of criminals whose crimes were nailed above their heads as examples to those who would see them. Christ humbled himself, by being born in a barn, by living as a man, and by dying on a cross with the words "King of the Jews" written above his head for all to see. As Christ transformed himself through his death and resurrection, and changed death from something to be feared to the beginning of new life, he transformed the cross from an object of fear to a symbol of hope, and from a sign of death to the greatest symbol of love, and everlasting life.

31 Club—Please pray for vocations...

9th: L Conlin
10th: J Haylett
11th: M Purnell
12th: S Treacy

13th: S Drexler
14th: P Gilfoyle
15th: S Ragozine
T Tobolewski



If you would like to join the 31 Club, call Terry Conlin @ 814-720-6041.

PLEASE REMEMBER YOU ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR FINDING YOUR OWN REPLACEMENT

SEPTEMBER		ALTAR SERVERS	LECTORS	EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS	USHERS	GREETERS Side door
SAT	5:00 PM	R Kiser M Longoria Mc Longoria H Morini	P Billingsley D Haylett	B Bazylak, Jr K Bazylak B Morini	B Bazylak, Sr T Donegan B Irwin J Haylett	J Haylett
SUN	8:00 AM	G Byler P Karastury P Karastury H McCoy	J Cunningham P Hilton	H Biemer T English G English	R Barton B Hilton S Miller D Vincent	D Vincent
SUN	10:30 AM	R Carlson Z Carlson C Dickey J Jacobs	G Ellis J Verno	T Bost P Jacobs P Taylor	J Arnett V Leap J Meyerhoff D Perfett	V Leap
OFFERING COUNTERS		Sept 1 L Helch J Smock	Sept 8 K Ittel J Elwell	Sept 15 P Hilton R Bullock-Reese	Sept 22 J Smock J Elwell	Sept 29 M Staahl R Bullock-Reese

BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS THIS WEEK TO:

Sept 8: Taylor Ferenchak, Mary Joann Morian,
Robert Uzelac, Beverly Zello
Sept 9: Jason Morian
Sept 10: Doris Mushrush
Sept 11: Earl Gross, Matthew Zello
Sept 12: Tim Bost, Irene Frey, Harold Lewis,
Edward Wetzel
Sept 13: Robert Bazylak, Jr, Julia Catalano,
Susan Drexler

ANNIVERSARY BLESSINGS THIS WEEK TO:

Sept 8: Joseph & Shannon Brancato (27)
Sept 12: William & Deborah Gregg (32)

If you find an error in any of these listings, please call the office to update your records. Thank you



For more information,
or an appointment contact
Amanda Sovisky

olqaeducation@zoominternet.net or 814-382-7252

September

SUN, Sept 8	9-10:20 AM—First day of class for ALL students
SUN, Sept 15	9—10:20 AM All classes 9—10:20 AM Adult Study—Prophets Catechetical Sunday
MON, Sept 16	6—7:30 PM Adult Study—Prophets
SUN, Sept 22	9—10:20 AM All classes 9—10:20 AM—Adult Study—Prophets
MON, Sept 23	6—7:30 PM Adult Study—Prophets
SUN, Sept 29	9—10:20 AM All classes 9—10:20 AM—Adult Study—Prophets 9—10:20 AM Confirmation meeting with Parents Adoration
MON, Sept 30	6—7:30 PM Adult Study—Prophets



Gather the family and be sure to join us on
Saturday, September 28th
6PM
More details to follow

October is Respect Life Month

The Respect Life Program, sponsored by the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops, begins in October. October is observed as Respect Life Month. This year's theme, "Christ Our Hope: In Every Season of Life," will be featured October 2019 through September 2020. This is a year-round, nationwide effort to help Catholics understand, value, and become engaged with building a culture that cherishes every human life. The U.S. bishops produce printed and digital tools and resources to help leaders throughout the Catholic Church integrate the Gospel of Life into their work or ministry. The action guide and downloadable resources can be accessed at www.respectlife.org/october. For more information, contact Patrice Swick, director of the Social Justice and Life Office, at 814-824-1254 or pswick@ErieRCD.org.



With this Sunday being the Feast of the birth of the Blessed Virgin Mary, all are welcome to join us Knights as we ask our Mother to inter-

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cede for our petitions by
reciting the Rosary at
6:00pm at MTP.

Our next Red Cross sponsored Blood Drive will be this upcoming **Monday Sept. 9th** at **St. Philip's Hall** in Linesville, from **2:00pm till 7:00pm**. It will take only an hour to help save up to three lives.

Thanks for helping the Knights spread the news that less is better than more when adding up trash collected (14 bags in August compared to 31 bags in April) during our last couple of "Adopt-A-Highway" road cleanups on "Scenic" Rte. 6. Help us Knights achieve our ultimate goal of zero.



Readings for the Week

<<http://www.usccb.org/bible/books-of-the-bible>

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